

# The Creatures of Navelos Woods

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## Bear Quartet

(12" x 12" cradled wood panels, \$150 each)

The Bear Quartet was created in response to reading about the many ways that humans have portrayed bears, particularly in early times. Bears have been symbols for royalty; they have been seen as protectors of the small and innocent; they have been described in stories as made of sun and stars; and they have been identified as our closest relative amongst the animals.



Mother Bear



King Bear



Cousin Bear



Celestial Bear



## Then and Now

(12" x 12" cradled wood panels, \$150 each)

The charcoal drawings that form the base of this set were once one large piece. Now, almost 30 years later, it has been given new life by being cut into multiple pieces and populated with cats, birds, fish, and other creatures.



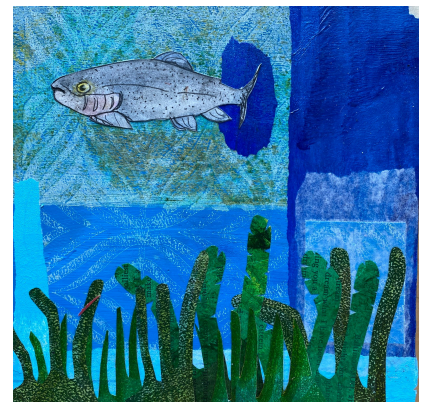




## Mini Monochrome Animals Series

(6" x 6" cradled wood panels, \$75 each)

This series was inspired by the beautiful set of watercolored animal drawings that were given to me by my daughter, Naomi, to add to my collages.



- Platypus (Purple)
- Bear (Green)
- Fish (Blue)
- Raccoon (Red)
- Lizard (Yellow)



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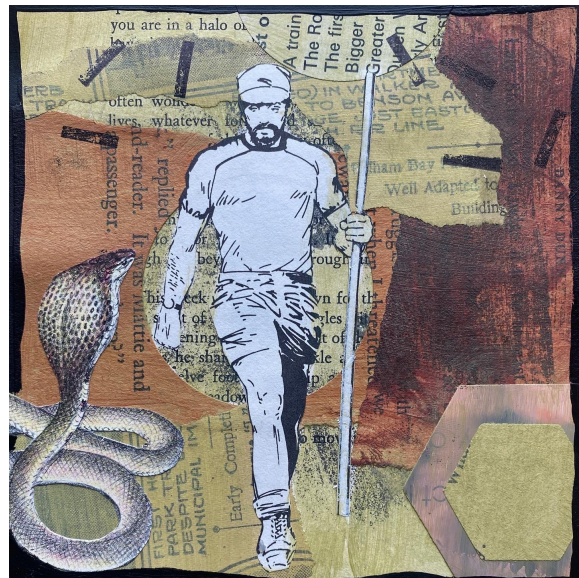
## Manuelo Sings of Snakes



## Sammy and Stewart Steal the Show



## Terry and the Moon Snake

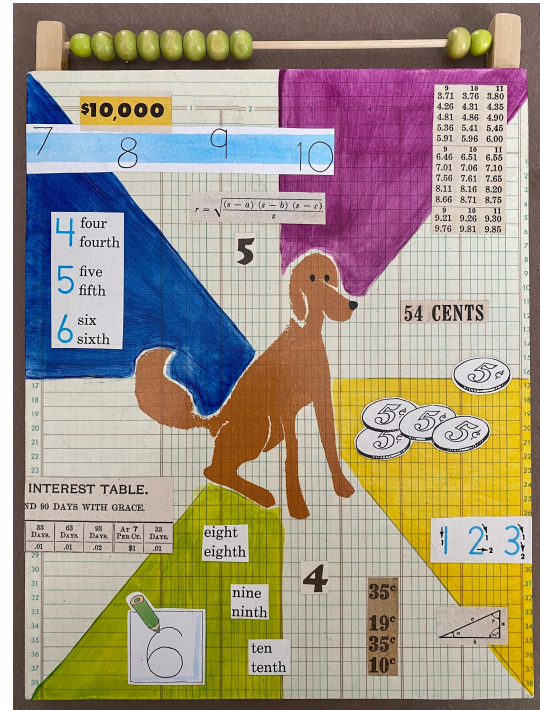


## Clyde and Casey Cross Paths



## All for Charlie

These pieces were inspired by my Goldendoodle, Charlie. Charlie was beloved by many and sorely missed. (Not for Sale)



- A Party for Charlie (12" x 12" mixed media collage on cradled wood panel)
- Math for Charlie (11" x 8" mixed media collage with abacus on cradled wood panel)



- Antiquities for Charlie (10" x 10" mixed media collage on cradled wood panel)
- A Home for Charlie (7.5" x 10.5", framed collage on paper)



## Jinivar Postcards

(Three 6" x 4" framed postcards, painted paper collage, \$75 each)

Jinivar is an imaginary world. Over the past few years, Leah has created postcards of people, places, and creatures from this world and sent them out to friends and family. Additionally, she developed a board game that uses creatures from Jinivar. These images are original art of the creatures created for the game. You can explore Jinivar at [navelos.org](http://navelos.org).

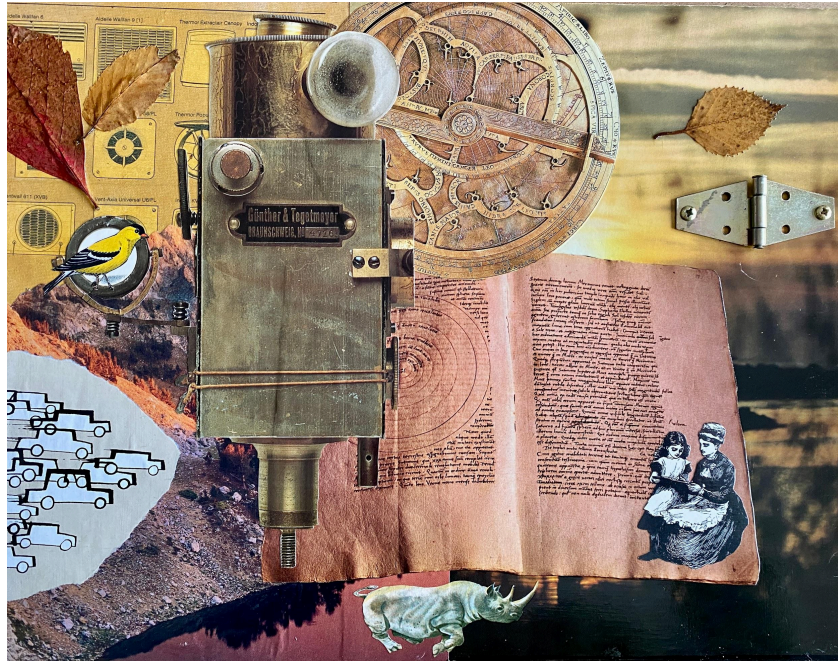


Pasha's Bird, Evorio, and Fitz  
Swelkar Frog, Cave Thing, and Red-Footed Firmander



## Anything Goes

These pieces juxtapose the animal kingdom with a modern world of technological advances.



Run Rhino (14" x 11" mixed media collage with hinge and leaves on cradled wood panel, \$150)



- Blue Cat in Train Land (12" x 12" mixed media collage on cradled wood panel, \$100)
- Blue Birds of Time (12" x 12" mixed media collage with clock parts on canvas, \$150)



## Other Assorted Animal Artworks



Blue/Birds (6" x 24" mixed media collage on cradled wood panel, \$100)



Dance Rabbit Dance (8" x 21" mixed media collage on recycled book cover, \$100)



A Tale of Three Turtles (12" x 12" mixed media collage on cradled wood panel, \$150)





Goldilocks and the Three Bears (14" x 18" framed mixed media collage on paper, \$200)



Encounters in the Woods (18" x 18" mixed media collage on cradled wood panels, \$300)





Exit (12" x 12" collage on cradled wood panel with moveable dial, \$200) Dial allows you to change the birds' destination to one of 6 options.



Startled (Yellow Heart) (12" x 12" mixed media collage on cradled wood panel, \$100)



What Mary Saw (Blue Heart) (12" x 12" mixed media collage on cradled wood panel, \$100)





Fox Comes Visiting (16" x 20" mixed media collage on framed artist board, \$200)



In Which the Big Bad Wolf Returns to His Childhood Home  
(24" x 18" mixed media on canvas, \$250)





Ices for Everyone (14" x 18" framed mixed media collage on paper, \$200)

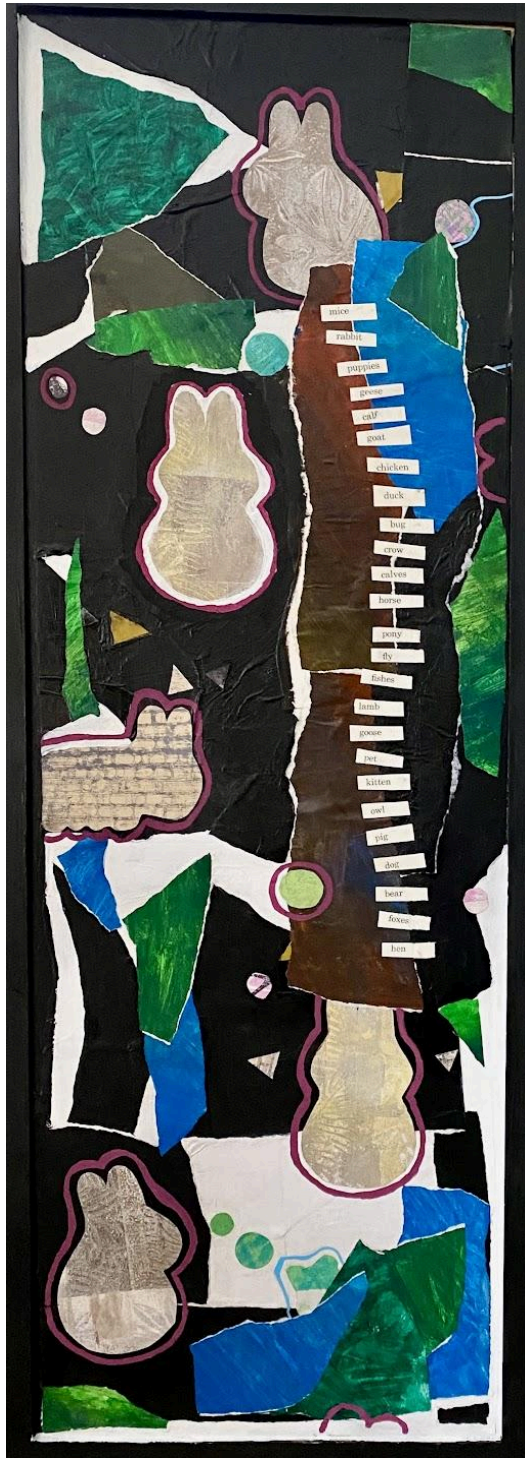


Lucky Rock (Elephant and Cow)  
(10" x 10" mixed media collage with  
embellishments on cradled wood  
panel, \$100)

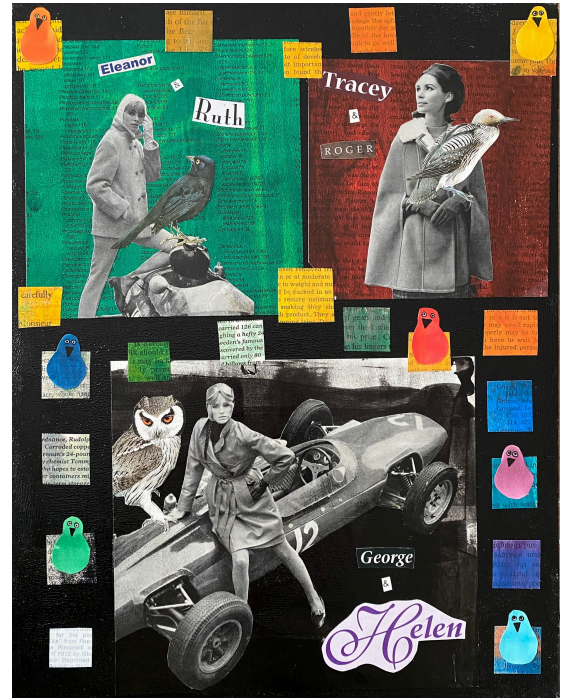


Untitled (Study in Purple)  
(10" x 10" mixed media collage on cradled wood  
panel, \$100)





Bunny Land (collaboration with Ronia Peterson, 12" x 36", mixed media collage on repurposed board, \$300)



Women with their Birds (14" x 11" mixed media collage on cradled wood panel, \$150)



The Birds and the Bear (11" x 14" collage with embroidery on cradled wood panel, \$150)